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Synopsis

"THE RANGE TERROR"

✓ #3 of the "Texas Ranger" Series ✓

Starring

BOB CUSTER

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"THE RANGE TERROR"

✓ Story by James Oramont ✓
✓ Continuity by George H. Plympton ✓
Directed by William James Craft
Photographed by Art Reeves
Released by F.B.O.
✓ Reels - 5 ✓
Footage -
Released - January 25, 1925.

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Cast

"Speed" Meredith.	Bob Custer
Virginia Allen.	Thais Valdemar
Regan.	Henry J. Hebert
Teresa.	Claire de Lorez
Bub Allen.	Boris Bullock
Sims.	Bob Mack
Sam Lee.	M. Morante
Burke.	Tom Sharkey
Alaska (Dog).	By Himself

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Bub Allen, a man of the plains, is robbed and mortally wounded by a stranger when the two, lost in a storm, bunk in a cabin in the wilderness for the night. Bub sends his faithful dog "Alaska" for help.

Speed Meredith, of the Texas Rangers, comes to his help through the raging storm. With his dying breath, Bub says: "I shot off part of a finger - left hand," and dies.

To identify the boy, Speed goes thru his pockets and reads a letter from his sister, stating she is leaving her eastern home and will join him in Goldville. In the letter is a photograph of the girl.

That day, Speed observes the hold-up of the stage coach on its way to Goldville. Speed rushes to the assistance of the driver, but in the meantime the hold-up men manage to make their escape. In assisting the passengers out, Speed recognizes the original of the photograph found in Bub Allen's pocket. Speed tells her gently of her brother's death, and they vow to leave no stone unturned to apprehend the murderer. He tells her it will be necessary for her to become acquainted with the male residents of Goldville, and then reveals his plan, that she, Virginia, take a position as a dance hall girl in the saloon of Reagan, the local boss of Goldville. Virginia objects, but under the persuasion of Speed Meredith and with the assurance that he would always be near to protect her, she consents to the plan.

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Teresa, Reagan's sweetheart and main performer, looks with envy upon the newcomer, and her hatred grows as she notices Reagan's attentions to Virginia. Reagan, in addition to operating the dance hall is a professional crook gambler and the brains of any outlawry committed in Goldville. Reagan has lately appeared in public with gloved hands and explains the fact with the statement that he is careful with whom his hands come in contact.

Reagan proposes to Virginia that they elope, and boastingly shows her his money belt stuffed with bills and Virginia immediately recognizes the money belt as that of her dead brother.

Speed tells Virginia the show-down has come. He lurches over to Reagan and proposes a card game. Reagan sees an opportunity to clean this interrupting stranger. Reagan stacks and as he is about to draw in his chips, Speed draws his gun and shoves it between Reagan's fingers, drawing off the glove and revealing that the first joint of the index finger is missing. This is final proof of Reagan's guilt. As Speed steps in to arrest Reagan a terrific fight ensues. Teresa endeavors to go to the help of Reagan and Virginia battles with Teresa. As these two fights are going on, the lamp in the saloon is shot out. Teresa and Virginia are battling in an off room and the door slams shut and is locked. The fire from the falling lamp starts the building blaze.

Reagan breaks away from Speed and dives through a window with Speed close at his heels. The two henchmen of Reagan's follow speed and there is a mad chase.

Virginia, in her battle knocks Teresa unconscious and she makes her escape from the burning building, leaving Teresa to be consumed by the flames.

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Speed meets Reagan at the top of a cliff just as the faithful Alaska comes on, close after Speed.

Virginia telephones the local headquarters of the State Rangers for help and then follows the chase. She is caught by the two henchmen of Reagan just as Alaska, to save his new master, (Speed) from being thrown off the cliff, lunges to the throat of Reagan and kills him. Speed Meredith goes to the rescue of Virginia and captures the two henchmen of Reagan just as the company of State Rangers arrive upon the scene.

The murder of Bub Allen is avenged and Speed takes Virginia in his arms for his prize as Alaska nestles close at their feet.

THE END.

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